IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re the Application of: Yoshihiro TAKASHIMIZU et

al.

Serial No.: 09/891,387

Filed: June 27, 2001

For: RELAY APPARATUS



Group Art Unit: 2152

Examiner: Dohm Chankong

Confirmation No.: 2563

Attorney Docket Number: 010803

Customer Number: 38834

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: July 8, 2005

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA		
Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))	19	Minus	20	= 0		
Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))	4	Minus	3	= 1		
FIRST PRESENT	ATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))					

	SMALL ENTITY		OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
	RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE		RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE
	X \$25	•	OR	X\$50	0.00
	X \$100		OR	X\$200	200.00
	+ \$180		OR	+ \$360	.00
A	TOTAL DD'L FEE		A	TOTAL DD'L FEE	200.00

Enclosed please find our check in the amount of \$200.00 for the additional claims fee in connection with this Amendment.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment for any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 8, 2005, Applicants amend the claims as follows and submit the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.

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